

# GOSSARD Corsets at the old prices ---Big Savings

Even though practically all merchandise has been increased in price the past year, Gossard Corsets have remained the same to you.

It is only the determination of The H. W. Gossard Co. to maintain the quality of Gossard Corsets which forces them and us to make some slight increases in their price beginning January 15.

Because of our rather large purchases the past year, we have been allowed to stock heavily on regular stock models—all new—just in from the factory. We are going to let our customers share with us in the savings, providing you purchase your Corsets now, before Jan. 15—and remember that our allot-

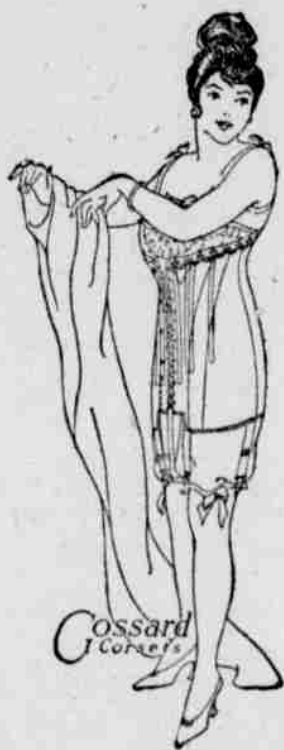
ment, while large, will be sold quickly. Below we quote the "new prices" and the "now prices." Gossard style—Gossard quality—Gossard workmanship—Gossard comfort and front lacing are in each model, and the savings are large enough to warrant your buying more than one corset at this time.

## This is what you save if you buy NOW

	NEW PRICE	NOW
Gossard models that will soon be sold at	\$2.50	\$2.00
Gossards that you have worn, which will retail at	3.00	2.50
Gossards in many models—yours probably	4.25	3.50
Gossards in standard models that will be	6.50	5.00
Gossards in fancy materials, soon	8.50	6.50
Gossards of great values, will be	10.00	8.00

Naturally our store will be a very busy place with many other sales in progress, but you will be given the same careful fitting service during this saving sale as you have always received here.

Early buyers naturally have the best selection—the most complete stocks to select from—so we urge upon you to come in to-day, or to-morrow at the latest.



## The Homer Fitts Company

### TALK OF THE TOWN

The first annual meeting of the Barre Historical society, Inc., will be held at the room of the society in the city building on Monday afternoon, Jan. 8, at 3 o'clock. All persons who have paid their dues and received membership cards are eligible to attend the meeting.

Knights of Columbus New Year's ball, city hall, Montpelier, Jan. 3, concert at 9 p. m., immediately after governor's reception; dancing 9:30 to 1; Carroll's orchestra; \$1.00 per couple. The Misses Wagner and Morgan of Burlington will appear in special numbers for flute, piano and violin at the concert.—adv.

### TALK OF THE TOWN

Great values in Abbott's garment sale. The annual church meeting of the Universalist society will be held Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Regular meeting of Harmon review, No. 1, W. B. A. O. T. M., will be held in K. of P. hall Wednesday evening at 7:30.

The public is cordially invited to attend the whist party Wednesday, Jan. 3, at 8 o'clock in K. of C. hall. Admission, 10c.

Barre Odd Ladies who wish to go to the installation of officers in Graniteville Friday evening notify Mrs. Harry Gamble by Thursday night; telephone 667-2.

### TALK OF THE TOWN

Mrs. Aaron Richardson of Washington was among the business visitors and shoppers in the city yesterday.

W. H. Goodfellow, who has been in Ryegate for several days on a business trip, returned to Barre last evening.

L. A. Sawyer and Lawrence Burns of Northfield were among the business visitors in the city yesterday and to-day.

Dr. and Mrs. Arthur C. Foster, who were married a week ago in Burlington, returned to Barre last evening, after a visit in Montreal, P. Q.

Miss Mary Matthews, who has been employed as a clerk in the F. W. Woolworth store during the past year, completed her duties there yesterday.

Miss Ivis Retari of Barton arrived in the city yesterday and will spend a few days visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Florence Buzzi of Scamplain place.

Miss Florence Curley of St. Albans returned to her home yesterday after spending the New Year's holiday at the home of Miss Elizabeth Gorham of Cliff street.

M. Gall of Westerly, R. I., arrived in the city last evening and will spend the next week or two visiting at the home of his brother, Paul Gall of North Main street.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Jerd of Brattleboro arrived in the city yesterday and will spend several days visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Martelle of Prospect street.

Miss Stella Gonyo and Joseph Gonyo, who have been visiting friends and relatives in Albany, N. Y., over the holidays, passed through the city this morning, while en route to their home in Berlin.

Caesar Cardini, who has been visiting at the home of his brother, Netael Cardini, of Farwell street for several days, while in Vermont, returned to-day to Ottawa, Ont., where he is employed as clerk in the Hotel Victoria.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Tongway returned to-day to their home in Greenfield, Mass., after visiting at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Tongway, of Beckley street over the Christmas and New Year's holidays.

Miss Hazel Lyon of Highland avenue left to-day for Hadley, Mass., where she will resume her studies at Mount Holyoke college after spending the Christmas and New Year's vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Lyon.

Miss Annie Messer returned to Johnson yesterday to resume her duties as teacher in the Johnson schools after spending a part of her Christmas vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Messer of Richardson street.

Charles Blake, formerly employed as a shoe salesman in the Walker Shoe store, and now employed as a salesman in one of the shoe stores in Springfield, Mass., returned to his home last evening, after visiting friends in the city for a few days.

John Gordon of Richardson street and Nelson Brown of Cliff street, who have been visiting at their homes over the Christmas and New Year's recess, left the city this morning for Hanover, N. H., where they will resume their studies at Dartmouth college.

Corsets.

There are La Resista models for every type of figure and every occasion. Ask for your type of figure. Whether you are stout, average, slender, tall, medium or short, there is a La Resista model particularly designed for you. For sale at our corset department. Mrs. Shepard and Co., Inc.

### BARRE DAILY TIMES

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 3, 1917.

#### The Weather

Snow or rain and warmer to-night; Thursday probably fair; fresh south winds, shifting to west.

#### TALK OF THE TOWN

Frank S. Ladd has returned to his home in Orange, after passing a few days with friends in the city.

Mrs. Flora Burnham left this morning for Williamstown, where she is to visit friends and relatives for a few days.

Dr. H. Nelson Jackson of Burlington was in the city to-day to attend the annual meeting of the E. L. Smith Co.

Mr. and Mrs. John V. Rowen of Hotel Barre returned to the city last evening, after passing a week with relatives in Lawrence, Mass.

Alexander Gordon, who has been visiting friends and relatives in Boston and vicinity during the past 10 days, returned to the city to-day.

Mrs. Archie Duprey of 22 West street was taken to the City hospital yesterday, suffering with appendicitis. She underwent an operation this morning.

Fred Ruppel of Chicago, who represents The Monument and Cemetery Review, is staying at Hotel Barre while passing several days in the Barre granite district.

Miss Mary Osgood of Montpelier commenced work at the Lyon grocery store this morning as bookkeeper, filling the place formerly held by Miss Louise Partridge.

Alexander A. Milne of Washington street returned last night from a business trip to Albany, N. Y., in the interests of the granite manufacturing firm of Hoyt & Milne.

Cobble Hill grange will hold a special oyster supper at its hall Friday evening, Jan. 5. Everybody is cordially invited. Come and start the new year right by having a good time. Geddes' orchestra will furnish music.

H. E. Fletcher of Boston, president of the National Association of Granite Industries, will arrive in the city this evening to remain for a few days on a business visit connected with the local industry.

Miss Edith Martinson returned to-day to her home on Hillside avenue after spending the past week in Boston at the "Billy" Sunday revival meetings. While in Boston she visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Sowles.

A meeting of the Barre Granite Manufacturers' association will be held at the manufacturers' headquarters Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Important business matters are to be considered, and the presence of every member is requested.

Miss Marjorie Andrews, who has been visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Andrews of Maple Grove street, during the past 10 days, left this morning for Brooklyn, N. Y., where she will resume her studies at Pratt institute to-morrow.

J. F. Eckhardt of Toledo, O., who is connected with the Eckhardt Monument Co. and H. H. Davis of Morristown, N. J., a member of the Davis Granite Co., are among the dealers registered at Hotel Barre while transacting business in the Barre granite district.

Akin Provencher of Westerville pleaded guilty of a first offense when arraigned before Magistrate H. W. Scott in city court this morning on an intoxication charge. The respondent was discharged from custody after he had arranged to pay the minimum fine and costs.

Dr. D. C. Jarvis returned to his home on Orange street yesterday from Burlington, where he has been visiting friends and relatives over New Year's.

Mrs. Jarvis and daughter, Sylvia, who have been visiting in Burlington during the past two weeks, accompanied Dr. Jarvis back to Barre.

Among the visitors registering at Hotel Barre last night and this morning were the following people: Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Sherman of Albany, N. Y.; A. C. Wells of Randolph, H. H. Milne, R. D. Spear, Dr. H. N. Jackson, C. A. Wheeler, M. J. Daley and B. H. Alden of Burlington, E. N. Cunningham of Manchester, E. W. Stearns of St. Johnsbury, C. A. Whalen of Burlington and A. C. Duke of Manchester, N. H.

The body of Donald W. Smith, for years a well-known resident of Barre, who passed away in Northfield Sunday night, was brought to Barre this forenoon and taken to the home of his sister-in-law, Mrs. Margaret Smith of 38 Liberty street, where the funeral was held this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Creed, the latter a sister of the deceased, with whom Mr. Smith had resided for years, were in the funeral party which came to Barre from Northfield.

On a complaint made to the state's attorney, Joseph Cano, a cattle drover, was arrested yesterday by Deputy Sheriff W. F. Cutler of South Barre and brought before Magistrate H. W. Scott in city court. Cano pleaded not guilty when charged with a breach of the peace offense and furnished bail of \$50 before he left the court to locate a lawyer.

Counsel for the respondent and the state's attorney will fix a date for the hearing. It is alleged by the prosecutor that Cano became involved in a quarrel with John Jensen at the Holden farm New Year's day.

At the regular meeting of Cobble Hill grange Tuesday evening, Jan. 2, the following officers were installed by Deputy R. C. Collins of East Montpelier, assisted by Mr. Collins: Master, E. E. Perry; overseer, Arthur L. Pierce; lecturer, Mrs. E. E. Perry; S. Harold Baneroff; A. S. Earl W. Winter; chaplain, Inez Thurston; treasurer, A. T. Smith; sec., Mertie B. Winter; G. K. George Owen; C. Mrs. Lillian Sowden; F. Mrs. R. W. Bassett; P. Mrs. J. K. Thurston; L. A. S. Margaret Ritchie; pianist, Helene Hack; grange reporter, Mrs. E. E. Perry. After the officers were installed the following program was given: Violin solo, Clarence Geddes; reading, Gladys Perkins; recitation, "Men Never Gossip," lecturer; vocal solo, A. T. Smith.

Regular meeting of Winnetta council, No. 10, D. of P., Thursday, Jan. 4, at 7 p. m. Adoption. The amusement committee please meet at 6:30.

Regular meeting of Clan Gordon, No. 12, S. C., Wednesday evening, Jan. 3, at usual hour. Work installation of officers. Referees: Mr. William Hurry, chief; Alex. Ed-ward, Sec.

Pythians of Vincitia lodge, No. 10, assembled in Castle hall last evening for the installation of the 1917 officers elected at the annual meeting a fortnight ago. N. E. Lewis, the lodge deputy, had charge of inducing the officers-elect into the chairs and the ceremony was witnessed by a large number of members.

The complete slate for the year, including the elective and appointive officers, is given as follows: Chancellor, W. W. Parry; prelate, James Robertson; keeper of records and seal, Frank E. Robinson; master of finance, William Mercer; master of exchequer, Frank O. Lewis; master of work, William Campbell; master-at-arms, Robert Mackie; inside guard, H. J. Morse; outside guard, John Gibb.

# Union Dry Goods Company

## SPECIAL VALUES THIS WEEK

It will pay you to visit this store, for there are many lots of desirable and seasonable goods very much under priced.

### American Lady and W. B. Corsets at Sale Prices

These two well-known lines of Corsets comprise everything that is correct in Corsetry. There is a model here for your particular figure, and this season's very latest styles to select from.

All our regular \$1.00 numbers.....	Sale Price 89c
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All our regular \$2.00 numbers.....	Sale Price 1.69
All our regular \$2.50 numbers.....	Sale Price 1.98
All our regular \$3.00 numbers.....	Sale Price 2.49

### Special Values in Muslin Underwear

One lot Ladies' Cotton Gowns, 79c to 89c values .....	Sale Price 69c
One lot Ladies' Cotton Gowns, \$1.00 values .....	Sale Price 85c
One lot Ladies' Cotton Gowns, \$1.50 values .....	Sale Price \$1.29
One lot Ladies' Envelope Chemises, \$1.00 values .....	Sale Price 89c
One lot of Combinations. These are slightly mused. Regular prices \$1.00 to \$2.98. In this sale at.....	.25 per cent. off
Silk and Crepe de Chine Underwear at.....	.20 per cent. off

### A Clearance Sale of Furs

Every piece of Fur in stock must be sold—Muffs, Scarfs, Sets, to be closed out at 20 per cent. discount. They are selling fast, so you must come quickly.

NOTICE—WATCH THIS SPACE TO-MORROW FOR SOME INTERESTING NEWS

## THE UNION DRY GOODS COMPANY

191 North Main Street

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### TALK OF THE TOWN

Fancy corduroy velvet 65c a yard. Little Dry Goods Store, Cottage street.

W. R. Palmer of North Main street returned last night from Tiverton, R. I., where he passed the holidays with his nephew.

Howard G. Stanley of Burlington returned to his home yesterday after spending several days with relatives on North Seminary street.

Miss Beatrice Joy, who has been visiting friends in South Royalton during the past week, returned to her home on Mount street yesterday.

Miss Anna Blair, who has been visiting friends and relatives in Burlington during the past few days, returned to her home on Merchant street yesterday.

William A. Jones, who has been visiting at the home of his mother in Barre, returned to-day to Hartford, Conn., where he is employed by the Colt Manufacturing Co.

Miss M. A. MacDonald returned to her home in Burlington to-day, after spending the past few days visiting friends and relatives on South Main street and in East Barre.

Mrs. D. C. Howie and son, Douglas, have returned to their home in Montreal, P. Q., after spending several days with the former's cousins, Mrs. Isabella Thompson and Mrs. Robert Webster.

Miss Nellie Corskie, who has been visiting friends and relatives in Boston, Brockton and Quincy, Mass., during the past few days, returned to her home on Tremont street yesterday.

Miss Corskie resumed her studies as stenographer at the J. P. Corskie & Son granite firm on Boynton street to-day.

Lyman Whitcomb, who has been visiting at the home of his mother, Mrs. Harriet W. Whitcomb, at the Thompson Memorial building, Goddard, during the past two weeks, returned to Medford, Mass., to-day to resume his studies at Tufts college after the annual Christmas recess.

John L. Maxson, who has had an office in the Reed block on North Main street in connection with his typewriter supplies and printing, moved his machinery and fixtures to his house on East street, extension yesterday and will continue with his work, with his office in his house.

Earl M. Lewis of Nelson street left yesterday for New York, where he will spend several days visiting friends and relatives. Thomas Nelson, who is home from Albany Business college through the holidays, will take Mr. Lewis' city route through his absence.

Walter Chynoweth, who has been visiting friends in Barre and Williamstown during the past two weeks, has returned to his college work at Cornell, Ithaca, N. Y. Mr. Chynoweth will be remembered here as the former athlete at Montpelier seminary. He is now taking the agricultural and veterinary courses at Cornell.

A quiet wedding took place last Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the church vestry when Miss Flossie Nedd of Beckley hill was united in marriage to Howard Edwards, also of this city, by Rev. P. M. McKenna, pastor of St. Monica's church. The couple were unattended.

Miss Nedd until recently was employed as a clerk in the Vaughan store and Mr. Edwards is a machinist and works at the Trow & Holden shops. The couple will reside on Beckley hill. No cards.

Cards were received in the city yesterday, announcing the marriage of Francis R. McLeay, son of Mrs. Christie A. McLeay of 15 Church street, this city, to Miss Elsie E. Brown of White River Junction by the Methodist minister, J. H. Bennett, on Dec. 28. Mrs. McLeay formerly lived in Berlin. Mr. McLeay was formerly employed by the Valz Granite Co. in this city and now is employed in the office of Cook & Watkins in Boston. They will return to Boston, where they are to reside.

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### TALK OF THE TOWN

Look for Shea's big shoe ad. on page 6. Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Ross have returned to the city after passing the holidays with friends in Boston.

Loading and no place to go? Come to the Cecilia club whist party Wed. Jan. 3, at 8 o'clock. Admission, 10c.

Mrs. D. M. Gilbertson went last evening to Windsor and will be joined later in the week by Mr. Gilbertson for a visit of several days with friends.

John E. Wilson of Worcester is passing some time with his daughters, Mrs. Nourse and Miss Wilson of North Main street.

Six reels at the Bijou to-day, including the last of the "Grip of Evil." Be sure to see the last installment of "Gloria's Romance," to-morrow instead of to-day.—adv.

Miss Abbie C. Moxley, who has been passing the holidays at her home on Park street, returned yesterday to Fairfax, where she is a member of the faculty at the Bellows Falls academy.

Rev. A. L. Huntley of Morrisville arrived in the city this afternoon to officiate at the funeral of Mrs. Martha A. Lease, which was held at the home of her son, P. D. Ladd, in South Barre at 2:30 o'clock.

Ralph Nye, a sailor in the U. S. navy, who has been spending ten days' furlough with his mother, Mrs. C. A. Wheaton of Washington street, returned to Brooklyn, N. Y., Sunday night to resume his studies in the navy electrical school, where he has been since last May.

When arraigned before Magistrate H. W. Scott in city court this forenoon, Lloyd O. Macneil pleaded guilty to a charge of maliciously breaking down a door and paid a fine of \$10 and costs aggregating \$6.05. The respondent was taken in custody by Chief Sinclair on a complaint made to Grand Juror William Wishart. It was alleged by the complainant that the respondent, being debarred admittance to a house on Granite street early Monday morning, annoyed the occupants by breaking through the door.

Encouraging reports from costumers and scenery makers who are getting together the paraphernalia effects to be used by the rejuvenated Grand Orient have prompted the executive committee to settle on Friday evening, Jan. 12, as the date of the annual Old pageant at Graniteville. The executive board and several sub-committees gathered in the old city building last night to complete some of the preliminary arrangements for the affair, which will be held in the Graniteville auditorium. Lodge members in Barre and those from towns to the north who expect to participate in the ceremonial will be transported from this city to the hill in barres and it is expected that every conveyance of this kind in town will be commandeered for the occasion.

### NORTH MONTEPIER.

Wanted: Fresh eggs. Will pay until further notice the Barre wholesale price for strictly fresh eggs delivered to me every week. Must be strictly fresh and well cared for. Mrs. Lizzie S. Pray.

### MRS. CHARLES J. LIMOGES.

Died at Heaton hospital where she was Operated Upon.

The death of Mary C., wife of Charles J. Limoges of Burlington, occurred yesterday afternoon at Heaton hospital, Montpelier, where she was operated upon for intestinal trouble during the forenoon. She did not regain consciousness after the ether was administered. Mrs. Limoges was taken to the hospital from Waterbury Monday.

She was born in Quebec 50 years ago, the daughter of Peter Drolet, but went to Montreal when very young and was there married at the age of fourteen to Mr. Limoges. They resided for about 25 years in Montpelier, he operating a barber shop for many years and removing to Burlington three years ago.

Besides her husband, she leaves three daughters, Mrs. Louis N. Wood, whose husband died Saturday, and Mrs. Hassie L. Nichols of Montpelier and Mrs. Leo Laflay of Enosburg Falls; two sons, Edward and Oliver Limoges of Burlington; two brothers, E. Drolet of Brooklyn, N. Y., and Peter Drolet of Montreal, P. Q. The funeral will be held to-morrow morning at 9 o'clock from St. Augustine's church with burial in the Catholic cemetery.

FUNERAL OF L. S. NORRIS.

Was Held at His Late Home on South Main Street.

The funeral of Leroy S. Norris, a veteran of the war between the states, whose death occurred at his home, 150 South Main street, Sunday morning, was held at the house Tuesday afternoon at 1 o'clock. Rev. B. G. Lipsky, pastor of the Hedding Methodist church, officiating. A number of veterans from R. B. Crandall post, G. A. R., with which the deceased was affiliated, attended the services and the bearers were: Dr. J. W. Jackson, Alderman O. D. Shurtleff, Harry Davidson and Mr. Jackson of Chelsea. The body was placed in the receiving vault at Elmwood, there to remain until spring, when interment will be made in the village cemetery at Williamstown.

EAST BARRE.

Joint installation of Wachusetta tribe, No. 18, I. O. R. M., and Winona council, D. of P., Thursday evening, Jan. 4, at 7:30 o'clock. Refreshments will be served. The public is cordially invited.

See clearance sale of ladies' waists at Abbott's.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

BEEF FOR SALE by the quarter or half-quarter; satisfaction guaranteed; C. R. Wood, telephone call 585-W.

LOST—A young gray and white female beagle hound; finder notify L. Small, Williamstown, Vt. 24711\*

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Boys' Overcoats, ages 4 to 17, at a liberal discount.

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